Withholding Tax - W4 Form

Does Colorado have a W-4 form?

Colorado does not have an equivalent state form to the federal W-4. This is because the state income tax is based on the taxpayer's federal taxable income. An employer should use the information from the federal W-4 Form to calculate the state wage withholding amounts.

Occasionally an employee will have a unique tax situation that requires different W-4 information to be used to accurately determine the amount of Colorado withholding. In this case, the employee may give the employer a separate W-4 Form with "Colorado Copy" written on top for use in computing the state withholding.

All employers must submit copies of federal W-4s to the state when the exemptions are greater than 10 or if the individual claims exempt. These forms should be faxed to (303) 866-3018 or sent by mail to 1375 Sherman St., Room 616, Denver, CO 80261.

To obtain other Colorado wage withholding forms for employers and the Colorado Income Tax Withholding Tables (DRP 1098), visit the Wage Withholding Tax Forms site.